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STEAM TO LONDON CALLING AT ADEN, HODEIDA, JEDDAH, ALGIERS, & LISBON.

THE BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (Limited) will despatch the S. S. AROOT, 1,782 Tons, 200 H. P., Commander J. HENDERSON, as above on SATURDAY, the 12th January 1878.

The Aroot is fitted in the usual style of the Company's vessels, and has excellent accommodation for 24 First-class Passengers and 16 Second-class.

For Freight or passage apply to

W. NICOL & Co., Agents.

WEEKLY STEAM COMMUNICATION WITH THE MALABAR COAST, CEYLON, MADRAS, AND CALCUTTA.

THE BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (Limited), under contract with Government, will despatch the S. S. "AFRICA," 2,032 Tons, 250 H. P., Commander J. PATERSON, on SATURDAY, the 12th January 1878, at 4 p.m., calling at Mangalore, Goa, Carwar, Mangalore, Cannanore, Tellicherry, Calicut, Beypore, Cochin, Alleppey, Tuticorin, Colombo, Galle, Negapatam, Madras, Calingapatam, Coconada, Vizagapatam, Bimlipatam, Gopalpore, False Point, and at any other place where inducement offers.

Cargo for Singapore and China can be booked fortnightly by the steamers on this line hence or from intermediate ports for transhipment at Galle to the Steamers of the Compagnie des Messageries Maritimes de la France which run regularly.

N.B.—No Cargo will be received on the day of sailing.

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Interchanging Cargo and Passengers at Bussorah, to and from Bagdad, with the Euphrates and Tigris Steam Navigation Company or other Steamers.

THE BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (Limited), under Mail Contract with Government, will despatch the S.S. COCONADA, 862 Tons, 120 H. P., Commander A. MORRIS, on THURSDAY, the 10th January 1878, at 4 p. m., to the PERSIAN GULF, touching at KURRACHEE, GWADER, JASK, BUNDERABBAS, LINGA, BUSHIRE, FAO, BUSREH, and occasionally at BAHREIN and MAROMERAH.

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THE BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (Limited), under Mail Contract with Government, will, during the fair season, despatch a Steamer to Kurrachee every THURSDAY at 4 p.m., and an Extra Steamer every TUESDAY at 10 a.m.

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W. NICOL & Co., Agents

STEAM COMMUNICATION WITH ITALY VIA SUEZ CANAL.

ITALIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY of Messrs. R. RUBATTINO & Co., GENOA.

THE REGULAR STEAMERS LEAVE GENOA and BOMBAY on the 24th, and on the 1st of each month.

For extra steamers see list given below.

PASSENGERS' RATES.

(Inclusive of all Transit Fees through the Suez Canal.)

	1st Class.	2nd Class.	3rd Class.	
Aden	£22	£15	£4	Without food.
Suez	36	22	6	
Port Said	36	22	6	
Messina	50	34	14	Including Provisions.
Naples	60	34	14	
Leghorn	50	34	14	
Genoa	50	34	14	
Marseilles	52	35	14-10	

Children under 2 years—free of charge. Children not above 10 years—half fare.

NEXT STEAMERS FROM BOMBAY :—

ARABIA to sail on FRIDAY, 1st February 1878.
PERSIA, to sail on WEDNESDAY, 20th February 1878.
AUSTRALIA, to sail on FRIDAY, 1st March 1878.
SUMATRA, to sail on FRIDAY, 15th March 1878.
ASSIRIA, to sail on MONDAY, 1st April 1878.

All Steamers of this Company have large First and Second Class accommodation for and always carry a Doctor and a Stewardess on board.

The steamers of this Company, as a rule, start precisely at 10 a. m. Any unavoidable detention will, however, be advertised at least one day previously.

For hand-books of information, rates of freight, &c., apply to

G. GRONDONA,
Agent Rubattino Steam Navigation Company,
No. 2, Hummum Street.

Bombay, January 1, 1878.

ANCHOR LINE—INDIAN SERVICE.

FORTNIGHTLY BETWEEN GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL, AND BOMBAY,

CALLING AT NAPLES ON THE HOMEWARD JOURNEY.

THE following or other First Class Steamers of the Anchor Line will sail from Bombay as under :—

	Tons.	H.P.	From Bombay.
MACEDONIA	2,372	400	....January 12
TRINACRIA	2,107	424	.... " 23
THESSALY	....	....	....February 2
EUROPA	2,277	424	.... " 16
ITALIA	2,245	424	....At fortnightly intervals.

The Thessaly is the property of Mr. David MacIver, M. P. She will not carry passengers.

RATES OF PASSAGE MONEY.

To Naples	Rs. 400
To Liverpool	" 500

Passengers desirous of making a short stay in Italy, may disembark at Naples and proceed on to Liverpool by the following steamer, and passengers disembarking at Naples can have their heavy baggage taken on to Liverpool without any extra charge.

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Bombay, November 13, 1877. Agents.

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BOMBAY TO LIVERPOOL, DIRECT, AND TO LONDON, OVERLAND *via* NAPLES OR GENOA.

THE S. S. TRENTHAM HALL, 2,100 Tons register, 300 H. P nominal, Captain J. SHAW, will sail about the 9th January and will be followed by the

S. S. CHILDWALL HALL, 2,100 Tons register, 300 H. P. nominal, Captain F. TREGARTHEN, on the 20th February, and by the

S. S. BRANKSOME HALL, 2,100 Tons register, 300 H. P. nominal, Captain BRAND, on the 6th March, and by the

S. S. CITY OF BALTIMORE, 2,300 Tons register, 300 H. P. nominal, Captain T. COLLIN, on the 20th March, and by the

S. S. TRENTHAM HALL, 2,100 Tons register, 300 H. P. nominal, Captain J. SHAW, on the 3rd April.

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Bombay, December 27, 1877.

SHIPPING.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL COMPANY.

THE following or other Steamers will be despatched for EUROPE :—

Vessels.	Tons.	H.P.	Captain.	1878
(a) THIBET	2593	400	J. H. Torbock	..14th Jan.
CHINA	2016	450	T. Alderton	....21st do.
(a) TEHERAN	2589	400	A. H. Johnson	...28th do.
BOKHARA	2502	450	W. D. Anderson	...4th Feb.
DECCAN	3429	550	J. D. Gaby	.....11th do.
BANGALORE	2963	500	E. v. Stead	.....18th do.
MIRZAPORE	3703	600	A. Parish	.....25th do.
TRAVANCORE	1900	350	W. Barratt	.....4th Mar.
MONGOLIA	2933	550	A. Coleman	.....11th do.
VENETIA	2726	450	J. C. Babot	.....18th do.
INDUS	3470	500	S. D. Shallard	....25th do.
ZAMBESI	3431	370	A. Symons	.....1st April.
AUSTRALIA	3663	600	G. F. Cates	.....8th do.

Passengers are booked to ADEN, SUEZ, BRINDISI, ANCONA, VENICE, MARSEILLES, MALTA, GIBRALTAR and SOUTHAMPTON by every Mail. The Steamers marked (*a*) proceed direct to Southampton. By the others Passengers change vessels at Suez, and those for Brindisi, Ancona, Venice, and Marseilles are conveyed by Rail from Suez to Alexandria.

A Launch leaves the Company's Dock Head at Mazagon at 2 P.M. on the day of sailing.

For Passage &c., apply to

J. R. KELLOCK,
Bombay, 7th January 1878. Superintendent.

TO CEYLON, PENANG, STRAITS, CHINA, AND JAPAN.

THE following Steamers will be despatched for the above ports, carrying H. M.'s Mails, and taking also Passengers and Cargo for Madras and Calcutta :—

Vessels.	Tons.	H.P.	Captains.	
INDUS	3470	500	S. D. Shallard	8th Jan.
LOMBARDY	3723	450	W. B. Hall	....22nd Jan.
KHIVA	2939	450	G. Lee	..... 5th Feb.
GEELONG	3155	240	C. Fraser	....19th Feb.

A Launch leaves the Company's Dock Head at Mazagon at 3 P.M. on the day of sailing.

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J. R. KELLOCK,
Bombay, 7th January 1878. Superintendent.

TO KING GEORGE'S SOUND, ADELAIDE, MELBOURNE, AND SYDNEY, CALLING AT COLOMBO AND GALLE.

THE following Steamers will be despatched for the above ports :—

Vessels.	Tons.	H.P.	Captains.	
SIAM	3000	500	G. N. Hector	.... 1st Feb.
ASSAM	3133	500	N. Stewart	.... 1st Mar.

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J. R. KELLOCK,
Bombay, 7th January 1878. Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. COMPANY.

SPECIAL THREE-MONTHLY RETURN TICKETS.

TO suit the convenience of Government Officials and others taking PRIVILEGE LEAVE, the Company has arranged to issue from this date RETURN TICKETS available for THREE MONTHS (counting from the date of sailing to the date of arrival) at the following REDUCED RATES :—

Bombay to Brindisi or Venice and back (including transit through Egypt)	Rs. 950
Ditto with the option of travelling ONE way *vid* Southampton	" 1,000

J. R. KELLOCK,
Superintendent.

Bombay, 15th December 1877.

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FOR LIVERPOOL, *VIA* SUEZ CANAL.
S.S. XANTHO, 1,800 Tons.
TO LEAVE ABOUT 29TH JANUARY.

THE above Vessel will have despatch as above. She has excellent accommodation amidships for First-Class Passengers only.

Rates of Passage Money, exclusive of Wines and Spirits, which can be had on board.

FIRST CLASS.....Rs. 450.

For Passage and further particulars apply to

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W. NICOL & Co., Agents.

Bombay, January 5, 1878.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

REGULAR LINE OF STEAMERS BETWEEN BOMBAY AND TRIESTE, VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Company will despatch the following First Class Passenger Steamers, on the undermentioned dates :—

Vessels.	Capt.	Disp. Tons.	H.P.	
S.S. POLLUCE	G. Racusin.	421	250	on 19th Jan. 1878.
S.S. ACHILLE	F. Forti	3900	400	on 5th Feb. 1878.
S.S. CASTORE	G. Marussig	3787	250	on 24th Feb. 1878.
S.S. ETTORE	C. Lazarich.	3501	400	on 26th Mar. 1878.
S.S. POLLUCE	G. Racusin.	4011	250	on 25th Apr. 1878.

All Steamers carry Surgeon and Stewardess.

Rates of Passage-money (exclusive of Wines and Spirits, which can be had on board at moderate prices) as under :—

To	1st Class.	2nd Class.	Deck.
To Trieste	Rs. 450	Rs. 350	Rs. 180
To Port Said	" 320	" 225	" 121
To Suez	" 300	" 240	" 122
To Aden	" 170	" 130	" 66

No cargo will be received on board after sunset on the day previous to sailing.

THROUGH TICKETS FROM TRIESTE TO LONDON

Via Vienna, the Rhine, Ostende or Calais and Dover, are granted by the Undersigned at

	Via Calais.	Via Ostende.
First Class, Trieste to London	£12-3	£11-18
Second Class, Trieste to Cologne	£9-19	£9-14
First Class, Cologne to London		

Travellers with through tickets are allowed lbs. 55 free lug gage.

Tickets are available for two months from the date of departure from Trieste.

For further particulars, and for Freight and Passage, apply to the Company's Office.

J. JANNI,
Agent A. H. Lloyd's S. N. Company.

28, Bombay Green, November 21, 1877.

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CHURCH GATE STREET.

MESSRS. MORTON & Co. beg to remind Ladies and Gentlemen proceeding to England to take with them a few choice packets of their highly appreciated and select KANGRA VALLEY TEAS for presentation to their friends at Home, who will surely prize them most. The attention of the Shipping in the Harbour is also requested.

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Ooty, January 3, 1878.

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February 1877.

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NOTICES.

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NEW BOOKS.

	Rs.	As.
Ariadnê, The Story of a Dream. By Ouida. *Cheaper Edition.*	3	12
Blanford's Indian Meteorologist's Vade-Mecum. 2 vols.	12	0
Lane's Arabian Nights' Entertainments, *Illustrated. New Edition.* 3 *vols.*	22	0
Burnaby's on Horseback through Asia Minor. 2 *vols.*	25	0
Sterndale's Seonee

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE

MONDAY EVENING, 7TH JAN. 1878.

THE closing telegrams from London of Saturday evening give very little news beyond what we have already noticed. The political situation remains as unsettled as ever and so long as this is the case we must expect a corresponding state of things commercially.

Consols remain at 94⅛ and French Rentes at 108¼. Enfaced Rupee Paper is also unchanged, Fours at 81½, Fours-and-a-half at 81½, and Fives-and-a-half at 89½. Silver is unaltered at 53⅛d. per oz., and 60 days' sight Exchange on India at 1s. 8⅜d. per rupee.

The London General Produce Markets, Seeds, and Wheat are all as last quoted.

Cotton in Liverpool closed steady, with sales estimated at 7,000 bales, and spot prices were the same as on Friday. Reuter says nothing respecting arrivals, but private advices call them steady at former rates. Saturday's Receipts at the American ports, however, were large, and April shipment Mid. Uplands had declined from 11 11-16 to 11 9-16 cents per lb. which will probably have a quietening effect in Liverpool to-day.

The American Crop figures to date show the following comparisons with the two previous years :—

	1878.	1877.	1876.
Saturday's Receipts	20,000	13,000	22,000
Total since 1st Sept.	2,527,000	2,685,000	2,504,000

The Bank of Bombay return for the week ending on Saturday shows the following changes :—

Public Deposits at H. O.	Inc.	18,14,647
Do. ,, Branches	Inc.	2,60,170
Other Deposits	Dec.	1,09,503
Government Securities	Inc.	2,40,857
Loans	Inc.	9,40,497
Bills Discounted	Inc.	8,15,767
Cash with Correspondents	Dec.	2,47,766
Cash and Currency Notes	Inc.	4,67,361

The trade demand for money appears from the above movements to have taken a turn at last, and we may therefore take it as pretty certain that no change will now be made in the Bank's advertised rates of discount and interest, although it will be some time yet before the outside market comes up to the same level. The Government revenue at the same time is beginning to come in, and this will help to keep the cash balance up to a high figure.

IN STERLING EXCHANGE to-day a very quiet feeling has prevailed, and only a very moderate business has been done, but a steady tone has nevertheless pervaded the market and rates are partially 1-16d. per rupee higher for buying. Whether this advance can be maintained is, however, very questionable, as not only have we the increased amount of Council Drafts to face on Wednesday, but export business is not showing the activity which might have been expected, and at the moment we should be inclined to put the weight of opinion as in favour of greater ease, for a time at least. We quote to-day for ready bills on London—

Bank Bills on demand	1s. 8 11-16d.	per Rupee.
Do. 6 months' sight	1s. 9 1-16d.	,,
Credits 3 ,, ,,	1s. 9 1-16d.	,,
Documents, 3 ,, ,,	1s. 9 1-16d. to ⅛	,,

On Calcutta we still quote demand drafts at 3-16 per cent. premium and 60 days' sight at ⅛ per cent. discount.

In GOVERNMENT PAPER there has been next to nothing done beyond the usual small operations in the Bazaar; but, if anything, the inquiry is a shade better and rates the turn in sellers' favour. We quote for Fours Rs. 94 to ⅛; Fours and-a-half Rs. 94½; Fives-and-a half Rs 102½.

The SHARE Market remains inactive, but the downward tendency of prices is checked, and in most instances where a change occurs in our quotations it is in favour of holders. Bank of Bombays are firm and ¼ per cent. dearer. Mazagon Land shares are Rs. 80 and Port Canning Rs. 3 higher. Berar Press have advanced Rs. 10 and Mofussils Rs. 5 per share. In Spinning and Weaving Companies we quote a rise of Rs. 15 in Dhurrumseys and Rs. 5 in Great Eastern, Manockjee Petits, and Orientals, while Colaba and Nursey are Rs. 5 per share lower.

COTTON to-day has been extremely dull, partly owing to the usual indisposition to do business on Mail-day and in part to the less favourable news from New York. Nominally prices may be called Rs. 1 to Rs. 2 per candy lower, but sellers are still averse to operate freely except for distant delivery, and even then at rates which are quite prohibitive to exporters as compared with Liverpool quotations. Good Ginned Broach has been sold at Rs. 211 for January delivery and Good Sheagaum at Rs. 203 per candy full pressed. For February delivery the current quotation for Good Oomra is Rs. 202, F. G. F. Rs. 198, and G. F. Rs. 194 per candy.

LINSEED, although in rather better demand is still weak, and for ready parcels the rate is now Rs. 6-4½ to Rs. 6 5. For April delivery contracts for about 10,000 cwts. have been made to-day at Rs. 6 per cwt. Rapeseed is still nominal at Rs. 7-9 to 7-10 per cwt. For Wheat the export demand is active at Rs. 4½ for West White and Rs. 32 to 36 per candy for mixed, according to quality.

FREIGHTS by steamer are firm at £1-10 to £1-11-3 for early shipment and £1-12-6 for late January shipment to Liverpool. The number of steamers on the way out is large, but a demand for the rice ports looks like absorbing a large quantity of tonnage which will tend to harden rates. By sail the inquiry is still stagnant.

PIECE GOODS, although not active from first hands, have met a better demand in the Bazaar yesterday and to-day, and prices, especially for the leading makes of Grey Goods, are slightly firmer.

COALS are steady, but to arrive no transactions are reported. On the spot Cardiff is very scarce, and business is said to have been done at Rs. 21½ on the bunder. Davison's newly landed has been sold at Rs. 18-10 and alongside at Rs. 18¾, and 500 tons Laird's Welsh Hartley have changed hands at Rs. 16½ on the bunder.

BOMBAY BILL AND STOCK LIST.

BANKS.

Banks	No. of Shares.	Nomi. Value p. sh.	Paid up.	Last Dividend.	Cash. Rates per Share.
		Rs.	Rs.	p. a.	
Agra Bank	100,000	100	all	6 p. ct	124
Bank of Bengal	40,000	500	all	6 do.	740
Bank of Bombay	20,000	500	all	12 p. ct	696
National Bank of India	10,000	500	all	6 do.	105
Bank of Madras	60,000	250	all	10 do.	665

LAND COMPANIES.

Colaba Land Co. (New)	2,948	2,000	all	20 p.* 4 p. a.	825
Freo Land and Pier Co. Limited	7,500	150	all	..	90
Mazagon Land	1,750	2,000	1,000	20 p. a.	800
Port Canning Land Company, Limited	6,000	1,400	all	13 p.a.	250

PRESS COMPANIES.

Akbar Cotton Press Co.	150	5,000	2,850	150 p.a.	1,100
Albert Co., Kurrachee	200	2,000	1,100	125 do	840
Albert Ginning Co	200	500	all	18 p.ct.	650
Apollo Press Co	250	2,750	2,200	32 p.a.	625
Bellary	175	1,000	all	60	635
Berar Company (New)	125	500	all	45 p.a.	445
Indian Press Co	1,000	250	all	14 do	175
Broach Cotton Co	400	250	all	10 do	70
Carwar Co	1,000	1,500	all	75 do	600
Colaba Press Co	500	1,000	all	170 do	475
Dharwar N. and G. Co.	500	200	all	15 do	230 xd
East India Press Co	382	1,000	all	100 do	920
Fort Press Co	500	5,250	50 do	95	975
French Press Co	200	500	all	40 do	315
Imperial Press Co	1,150	..	1,400	100 do	300
Mofussil Press and Ginning Co	125	400	350	40 do	315
Prince of W. Press	120	..	1,500	250 do	350
Sassoon's Press Co	600	500	all	25 do	325
Scinde Press Co	400	850	750	60 do	435
Scinde & Punjaub Cotton Press Co., Ld.	100	1,000	925	150 do	1,040 xd
Victoria Cotton Gin and Press Co.	150	850	all	12 p.c.	600 xd.
Wallace & United Press Co	50	1,000	1,000	75 p.a.	560

*For Share for the half-year.

SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANIES.

Albert Mills	800	2,000	1,700	..	950
Alexandra S. and W. Co.	750	1,250	all	50 p.a*	1,255
Allred Mills Co	250	1,000	1,000	80 p.a.	1,300
Alliance Spinning	500	2,500	all	100 p.a.	2,170
Anglo-Indian S. and W. Company	90 000	100	100	..	90
Bhowmaggur M. and P. Company	800	2,000	..	40 p.a.	1,550
Bombay United	900	1,000	all	45 p.a*	1,050
Bombay Hemp and Jute Mill Company	2,000	300	all	15 p.a*	255
Broach Mills	1,800	100	all	10 p.a.	115
Colaba S. and W. Co.	2,000	1,000	all	50 p.a*	855
Dharamsey M. and P. Co.	1,000	1,000	all	60 p.a*	1,015
Dhuria Mills S. and W. Co.	2,500	500	450	..	635
Fleming Sons S. W. Co.	2,000	2,000	all	35 p.a*	930
Great Eastern	1,500	1,250	all	50 p.a*	1,510
Hindustan S. & W. Co.	1,400	1,000	all	50 p.a*	1,220
Hydrabad S. and W. Co	875	1,000	all	40 p.a.	1,030
Jeevraj Balioo Mills	750	1,000	all	..	850
Khandesh Spinning	750	1,500	all	45 p.a*	990
Khandesh Spinning	750	1,500	all	60 p.a*	1,225
K. Manockjee S. & W. Co.	1,000	1,000	all	45 p.a*	930
Madras Spinning	300	1,250	all	Nil	875
Madras U. Spinning	425	1,000	all	80 p.a*	1,225
Manchester & Bombay S. and W. Co.	20,000	50	50	..	30
Mandvie S. and W. Co.	1,200	500	all	..	360
Manockjee Petit's	2,500	1,000	all	60 p.a*	1,335
Morarjee Spinning	1,643	1,000	all	60 p.a*	1,230
Mazagon S. and W. Co.	2,000	5,000	all	..	275
National S. and W. Co. of India	950	1,000	all	50 p.a*	940
Nerad S. and W. Co.	400	1,000	all	..	825
Nicol Press Manufacturing Co. Ld.	600	2,000	all	..	775
Nursey S. and W. Co.	2,500	400	all	20 p.a*	375
Oriental	1,000	625	all	35 p.a*	750
Princess of Wales Spinning	600	1,250	all	75	1,110
Sassoon S. & W. Co.	1,500	1,000	all	..	875
Soomerdee Spinning	680	1,000	all	75 p.a.	865
Do do. ⅛ Share	800	1,000	250	125 p.a.	205
Sholapore S. and W. Co.	800	1,000	all	..	985
Victoria Mills	550	1,000	all	40 Rs.	700 xd

*For Share for the half-year

MISCELLANEOUS.

Bombay Burmah Trading Corporation	1,000	2,500	1,500	1874 p.a.	1,765 xd
Bombay Gas Company	50,000	50	all	7½ p. ct	85
Bombay Saw Mills Co	600	1,000	all	60 p.a.	600
Landing and Shipping Co. of Kurrachee, Ld.	500	500	300	36 p. a.	275
Malabar Company, Ld.	1,150	200	100	7½ p. a.	6
Mechanical Boat'ngs Co.	1,000	500	all	p. a.	25
Treacher and Co.	1,200	500	11	11 p. ct	545
Tagus Patent Lighting Co	5,000	250	all	6 p. ct.	20

BANK OF BOMBAY.

STATEMENT of the affairs of the Bank of Bombay on the 5th January as compared with the statement issued on the 29th December :—

LIABILITIES.	29th Dec. Rs.	5th Jan. Rs.
Proprietors' Capital	1,00,00,000	1,00,00,000
Reserve Fund, invested in Government Securities	21,00,000	21,00,000
Public Deposits at Head Office	61,50,196	79,64,843
Do. do. do. at Branches.	12,11,868	14,12,071
Other Deposits	2,49,71,796	2,48,62,293
Post Bills	51,5:6	52,285
Cash Credits, undrawn	5,77,321	6,50,589
	4,50,62,777	4,70,42,251
ASSETS.		
Government Securities	29,54,577	31,95,434
Cash Credits, on Security of Government Paper, Bullion, and Merchandize	15,75,332	15,02,941
Loans on Security of do. do.	40,06,048	49,46,545
Current Accounts, overdrawn	1,473	1,593
Bills Discounted	75,39,077	83,47,644
Stamps	3,467	3,523
Dead Stock Rs. 5,30,293		
Amount applied in reduction ,, 1,75,000	3,55,293	3,55,293
Bullion	2,20,583	56,707
Cash Balances with Correspondents	7,78,784	5,51,018
Cash and Currency Notes	2,76,35,123	2,81,02,484
	4,50,62,777	4,70,42,251

GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY.

Statement of Traffic for the 9 days ending 31st December 1877.

	Open 1,888½ Miles.	Rs.	a.	p.
Coaching		1,96,909	3	0
Merchandize		5,70,163	0	0
Telegraph		1931	0	0
	Total Rs.	7,69,072	3	0
Corresponding 9 days last year, open 1,888½ Miles	Total Rs.	6,23,480	3	10
Increase		1,45,591	15	2

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE,

AND LISTS OF PASSENGERS BY SEA.

THE S. S. SCOTIA GRAY, 1,193 tons, Captain A. Grant, sailed yesterday for Rangoon in ballast.

THE BRIG SULTAN PASHA, 178 tons, Nacoda, sailed yesterday for Mauritius with a general cargo and thirty deck passengers.

THE B. I. S. N. Co.'s s. s. VINGORLA, 815 tons, Captain D. Dougherty, will sail to-day for Kattywar Coast and Kurrachee with a general cargo and the following passengers :—Mr. G. Cartwright, Mr. F. Lunnesi, and 210 deck passengers.

THE BARQUE PROSPERO, 395 tons, Captain G. Mainoaurd, arrived in harbour on the 6th instant from Zanzibar, Nov. 22, with eight deck passengers, and general cargo. The vessel is consigned to the Captain.

THE s. s. FERNTOWER, 700 tons, Captain T. Mackie, arrived in harbour on the 5th instant from Singapore, Dec. 14, with a general cargo. The vessel is consigned to Messrs. Dhanjeebhoy Ratnsgur and Co.

THE s. s. TRITAN, 905 tons, Captain J. Kidder, arrived in harbour on the 5th instant from Glasgow, Dec. 1, via Malta, Port Said, and the Suez Canal with a cargo of Messrs. Nicol and Co. Railway materials. The vessel is consigned to

THE B. I. S. N. Co's s. s. PUNJAUB, 685 tons, Captain J. Smith, arrived in harbour yesterday from Persian Gulf, via Kurrachee, with a general cargo, and the following passengers :—Capt. Fraser, Mr. Stephens, Mr. Collins, Mr. Greenwood, Lieut. Greenwood, and fifty deck passengers.

THE B. I. S. N. Co's s.s. GOA, 1,231 tons, Captain J. Avern, arrived in harbour yesterday from Coast and Calcutta, with a general cargo, and the following passengers :—

Mr. S Moreland, W. S. B. Thacker, Mr. Kennedy, Mr. H. B. Major, Mr. and Mrs. H. C Battler, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence, His Grace the Arch-Bishop D. Ayres, Revs. S. J. Mendz, J. L. Montero, A. J. Nicra, B. Alfonso, and 28 deck passengers.

ARRIVALS.

Jan.	Vessels.	Commanders.	From
5	Tritan (s)	Kidder	Glasgow, Dec 1.
	Perntawer (s)	Mackie	Singapore, Dec 14.
6	Pros ere (s)	Mainaurd	Zanzibar, Nov 22.
7	Goa (s)	Avern	Calcutta, Dec 14
	Punjaub (s)	Smith	Bussorah, Dec 19.
	Somerville	Williams	Mauritius, Nov 17.

DEPARTURES.

Jan.	Vessels.	Commanders.	Destination.
7	M A Evans	Leonard	Rangoon.
	Sumatra (s)	Anderson	Suez.
	Scotia Grey (s)	Grant	Rangoon.
	Sultan Pasha	Nacoda	Mauritius.

The steamer Vingoria, Dougherty, to K Coast and Kurrachee, obtained her port clearance yesterday.

The following vessels were entered out for loading yesterday :—

Steamer Clive, to Calcutta.
Steame Africa, to Coast and Calcutta.
Steamer Exmoo, to Antwerp.
Steamer Lena, to Genoa and Marseilles.
Steamer Ooruo, to Coast and Goa.
Barque Romeo, to Havre.

CALCUTTA.

ARRIVALS.

Jan.			
3	Madras (s)	James	Sandoway, Dec 29.
	Socotra (s)	Starratt	Moulmein, Dec 17.
	Boyne	Kelley	Southampton, Sept 8.
	Victoria Bridge	Nacoda	Madras, Nov 15.

DEPARTURES.

Jan. 3.—Steamers Sir John Lawrence and Enterprise.

PASSENGERS.

Per Madras—Mr H Evans, Mr R N Brenbridge and son, Mr J N Sowton.

Per Socotra—Mrs E Solomon and infant, Mrs D V Solomon and infant, Mrs Moses and child, Messrs Grive, Hurd, and Manuel, Lieut Brackenbury.

VESSELS SPOKEN.

By Boyne—25th Dec, Rajmahal in lat 15-6 N, long 87-30 E, 22nd Dec Chipman in lat 14-51 N, long 84-0 E.

By Socotra—Ship Rajmahal at Eastern Channel Light, wished to be reported.

MADRAS.

ARRIVALS.

Jan.			
4	Malda (s)		Calcutta.
5	Sea Foam		Moulmein.

DEPARTURES.

Jan.			
5	Helen Pembroke		Calcutta.
	Suzerain		Rangoon.

ARRIVAL OF PASSENGERS.

Per s s Malda —Mr W Henderson and Mrs Pope, Lieutenant Wylie, Mr R F Chisholm, Mr E Pernon and Mrs Pernon, Mr A A Robertson, Mr E L Fanchem, Mrs Maclean, Miss Woodhouse, Mr W A Porter, Colonel Grant.

DAILY IMPORTS.—JANUARY 7.

FROM LIVERPOOL.

Zeal s—100 cases stout, Bell, Brandenburg and Co; 137 kegs iron nails. Hassumally Lalimeya.
Sicily s—50 cases yellow metal sheets, Bank of Bombay.
St Mildred s—309 cases window glass, Hassumally Lalimeya.
Clive s—25 cases stout, Sorabjee Rustomjee; 27 cases hardware, Pelly and Co.

FROM LONDON.

Atholl s—200 boxes candles, Bhoychund Roopchund: 6 casks pistedware and 8 cases glassware. Hassom Ahmed; 1 case soap and perfumery and 5 cases oilmanstores, Byramjee Nusserwanjee; 5 cases cheese and 3 cases bacon, Bomonjee Sorabjee; 50 cases cognac, Cutler, Palmer and Co.

FROM GLASGOW.

India s—30 cases gingerwine and 30 cases rum, Jamsetjee Nowrojee.

FROM GENOA.

Assiria s—75 boxes brandy, Nowrojee Ardaseer and Sons; 30 cases brandy, Jamsetjee Nowrojee; 462 cases brandy, Treacher and Co.

FROM BORDEAUX.

Union—10 cases brandy, Nowrojee Ardaseer and Sons.
Esperance—50 cases brandy, Nowrojee Ardaseer and Sons.
Australia s—1 cask brandy, C Bonnevialle and Co.
Arabia s—65 cases brandy, C Bonnevialle and Co.

DAILY EXPORTS.—JANUARY 7.

FOR LIVERPOOL.

Macedonia s—50 bales cotton, Steuart L Macnaghten; 500 bales cotton, Killick, Nixon and Co; 45 bales wool, Pragjee Toolidas; 25 bales wool, Goculdas Cullianjee; 474¼ cwts wheat Bhimjee Canjee; 50½ bales cotton, Nursey Keasowjee and Co. Trentham Hall s—2¼ cwts mustard Seed, Hajee Adam Esmail and Co; 2091 cwts linseed, Killick, Nixon and Co; 1,599½ cwts wheat, Stearns, Hobart and Co; 765 cwts myrabollams and 63 bales wool, Rallı Brothers; 20 bales wool, Khanbhoy Peerbhoy; 36 bales wool, Currimbhoy Nanjee; 55 bales wool Motty Jaitha; 55 bales wool, Dewjee Govindjee; 26 bales wool, Hurjivandas Vissonjee; 176 bales wool, Ewa. Cassim and Co; 150 bales cotton, Steuart L Macnaghten; 350 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co; 20 bales cott n, Wallace and Co; 45 bales cotton wast, Dossa Lalji; 3 060 cwts myrabollams, W and A Graham and Co; 23 bales wool, Damodhur Hoosjee; 30 bales cotton, D Veljee; 87½ cwts myrabollams, Arut Dhanjee; 30 bales wool, Ramjee Rughoo; 157½ cwts cotton yarn, Lukhman Rekhojee; 613⅛ cuts coir-yarn, Mooranjee Nathu.

FOR GLASGOW.

Macedonia s, 4,000 cwts linseed, W and A Graham and Co,

FOR LONDON.

Sumatra s, 2 cases shawls, Sir C Forbes and Co.
Scotland s, 10 bales hides, Esmail Hajee Abdoolrehemon; 15 bales hides, Dawoodbhoy Hassum; 32 bales hides and 5 bales skins, Hajee Sullaman Esna; 26½ cwts dry ginger, Mooljee Jaitha and Co.

FOR ANTWERP.

Euxine s, 24,249 cwts linseed, Volkart Brothers.

FOR HAVRE.

Scotland s, 50 bales cotton, Jules, Siegried and Co; 160 cwts linseed, Tyabjee and Co.

FOR MARSEILLES.

Tartar s, 14 cwts linseed, and 300 bales cotton, Ralli Brothers.

FOR SUEZ.

Sumatra s, 3⅛ cwts cardamoms, Aga Syed Mirza.

FOR CALCUTTA.

Harold Haarpaer s, 18 bales cott n, Sewbux Joharmull, Bengal s—50 bales cotton, Ram] edass Lucknedass.

FOR HONGKONG.

Indus s—14½ cwts sumadastone, Sallaybhoy Jafferbhoy; 6 cwts Sulaiman-stone, Haji Mahamed Hajee Esmail; 15 cases sharkfins and 12 cases fishmaws, Rajun Ajoo; 1 case fishmaws and 4 cases sharkfins, Vya Ganjee; 10 bales twist waste, Eduljee Nusserwanjee; 10 bales twist, Ludhabhoy Chutt oo, 200 bales twist, Currimbhoy Ebram; 6 bales twist, Ahmedbhoy Hubibbhoy; 25 bales twist, M M Mehta; 25 bales twist, Cur-simjee Bamjee and Co; 10 bales twist, Goolamhoosein Jonmahamed; 5 bales twist, Ebrsm Noordin and Co; 15 chests opium, E J Abram; 26 chests opium, E J Ebram; 6 chests opium, Morwanjee Manockjee and Co; 3 chests opium, Hajee Adam Esmail and Co; 40 chests opium, David Sassoon and Co; 1 chest opium, Hajee Abdoola Noor Mahomed; 16 chest, opium, Tata and Co; 24 bundles E teeth, and 12 bundles G horns, Currimbhoy Ebram; 10 chests opium, S E Sassoon.

FOR SHANGHAI.

Indus s—12 chests opium, Tarachund Sittaram; 41 chests opium, E D Sassoon; 15 chests opium. E J Abraham; 11 chests opium, Nuseer Mussery e and Co; 45 chests opium, David sasson and Co; 12 chests opium, S E Sassoon.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY, COLABA,
BOMBAY, 6th January 1878.

Means of observations taken at 6 a.m., 10 a.m., 2 p.m., 4 p.m. and 10 p.m.

Barometer corrected 32 deg. Fah	29·901
Temperature of the Air	7 ·2
Wet Bulb Thermometer	70·1
Dew Point	66 7
Relative humidity of Air	0·780
Extent of cloudy sky (the whole sky clouded=0)	1·6
Maximum temperature of air (read at 6 p.m.)	81·4
Minimum do. do. (read at 9-30 a. m.)	67·1
General Direction of wind	N, ESE, ENE, S, SSW, W, SSE.
Movement of wind in 24 hours	192.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS.—JANUARY 6.

Thornton, Lieut, Political Agency Rajputana, to appear before a Medical Board, from a Jaseer.

JANUARY 7.

Bancroft, Col, 16th Regt, on leave, from Secundrabad.

DEPARTURES.—JANUARY 5.

Reilly, Lieut, Bombay Commst Dept, on duty, to Poona.

JANUARY 7.

King, Capt, Offg Supt of Army Schools, on duty, to Tanna.
Carter, Surg Major, Bombay I M D, on leave, to England.
Bancroft, Col, 16th Regt, on leave, to England.

ORDERS BY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF IN INDIA.

Adjutant General's Office, Simla, Dec 22.

Intimation has been received that His Royal Highness the Field Marshal Commander-in-Chief has sanctioned an exchange of battalions between the following officers :—12th Foot—Brevet Major W T Baker, to the 2nd battalion, H P Pearson, to the 1st battalion.

The C-in-C in India is pleased to make the following promotion and appointments :—

16th Regt—Sub-Lieut W O Cavenagh to be Lieut.

9th Bengal Cavalry—Lieut G L Garstin, Officiating Wing Officer, on probation, 12th N I, to be Officiating Squadron Officer on probation.

19th N I—Lieut H T Faithfull, Wing Officer, on probation.

15th Native Infantry—To be Wing Officer, on probation.

42d N I—Major W E Chambers, Staff Corps, to officiate as 2nd in Command.

Convalescent Depots, Darjeeling—Captain R B McEwen, 92nd Highlanders, to be Station Staff Officer, vice Tarleton, who vacates on proceeding on leave to England.

The above cancels Captain McEwen's appointment as Station Staff Officer of the Pachmarhi depot.

Local rank is assigned to the undermentioned officers :—

Major J Stewart, R A, to be Lieut Colonel.

16th Regt—Captain R G Newbolt to rank as Captain.

17th Regt—Lieut H J Gamble to be Captain.

26th Regt—Colonel C Hewitt to be Colonel.

Major J S Irvine, Brigade Major, is transferred from Mooltan to Agra, in room of Lieut Colonel H Maxwell, proceeded on furlough.

The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

22nd Foot—Lieut O E M Davies, to England, for four months on urgent private affairs.

43rd L I—Lieut A W G Gaussen, to England, for three months on urgent private affairs.

59th Foot—Captain R S Shinkwin, to Bombay, for thirty days to appear before a medical Board.

63rd Foot—Sub-Lieut J Lavender, to Bombay, for thirty days to appear before a medical Board.

72nd Foot—Captain H P S Bolton, to port of embarkation, for one month, and thence to England, for fifteen months on private affairs.

73rd Foot—Lieut F A Blyth, to Dum Dum, from the 14th Dec 1877 to the 15th Feb 1878, to medical certificate.

Adjutant General's Office, Simla, Dec 27.

The C-in-C in India is pleased to make the following appointments :—

13th Bengal Lancers—Lieut G W Peane, Squadron Officer, to be Adjutant, in succession to Captain D H Thompson, whose tenure of appointment has expired.

4th N I—Lieut Col W C Mitchell, Wing Commander, to be 2nd in Command, vice Colonel F Duffin, retired. Captain A B Douglas, Wing Officer, to be Wing Commander, in succession to Lieut Col W C Mitchel, promoted.

13th N I—Lieut G A Collins, 5th Foot, supernumerary on the establishment, to be Wing Officer, on probation, in succession to H T Faithful, transferred to the 19th N I.

16th N I.—Major W G Cubitt, v.c. Wing Commander, to be 2nd in Command, vice Lieut Col J B Poole, retired. Lieut Col C P Hunter will continue to officiate as 2nd in Command, until the return from furlough of Major W G Cubbitt. Captain A B Clare, Wing Officer, to be Wing Commander, Lieut C H Morris, Officiating Wing Officer is confirmed in the appointment.

25th N I—Lieut Col J W Hoggan, 2nd in Command, to be vice Commandant, vice Colonel H D Manning, retired. Lieut Col N Barton Wing Commander, to be 2nd in Command, Captain J N Steel, Wing Officer, to be Wing Commander, to be Wing Commander, Lieut C H H Raley, Officiating Wing Officer, on probation, to be Wing Officer, on probation.

29th N I—Lieut C Trench, 21st Foot, a candidate for the Bengal Staff Corps, to be Officiating Wing Officer, on probation.

40th N I—Surgeon W B D Moynan, M D, officiating in medical charge of the regiment, is confirmed in the appointment.

4th Goorkhas—Lieut H R Mends, 60th Rifles, supernumerary on the establishment 3rd Goorkhas, to be officiating Wing Officer, on probation.

The C-in C in India is pleased to direct the following transfer :—Lieut H T Faithfull, 19 N, Wing Officer, on probation, 13th N I, is transferred as Wing Officer to the 19th N I.

The following transfers are ordered :—Lieut Col W Howey Bengal Infantry, from Bhurtpore to Jamalpur, for general duty. Lieut Col J B Saunders, Bengal Cavalry, from Cawnpore to Lucknow, for general duty. Captain C Crosthwaite, R A, is directed to proceed from Sitapur to Nusseerabad, and join G Battery 2nd (late 4th) Brigade, to which he has been transferred.

The undermentioned officers are permitted to exchange to the battalions of their regiments specified :—

5th Foot—Captains F A Forsyth, 1st Battalion, J L Vincent, 2nd Battalion.

Lieut A J R VonCortlen 4t. Officiating Squadron Officer, on probation, 1st Bengal Cavalry, having failed to pass in the Native language, is reverted to Regimental duties.

The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

10th Hussars—Lieut E M L Inman to Calcutta, from the 1st Jan to the 30th June, for urgent private affairs.

1st Foot—Captain and Brevet Major E F Angelo, to Poona, from the 28th Dec 1877 to the 28th Feb 1878, on private affairs.

6th Foot—Captain J C Gibbs, to port of embarkation for one month, thence to England for six months, on urgent private affairs.

72nd Foot—Lieut G W H Cuningham, to England, to appear before a medical board.

84th Foot—Captain J H Tarleton, to Bombay, for one month to appear before a medical board.

72nd Foot—Lieut J G Downing, to England, to appear before a medical board.

NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES ORDERS.

(*North-Western Provinces Gazette* January 5th.)

Mr C J Daniell, Magistrate and Collector, to officiate as District and Sessions Judge, Gorakhpur.

Mr E G Ibrahim, to be Intact Magistrate and Collector, transferred from Benares to Mirzapur.

His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, N W Provinces, and Chief Commissioner of Oudh has been pleased to constitute the following Survey Divisions under the superintendence of the Engineer-in Chief Local Railways, North Western Provinces and Oudh—

Farukhabad Local Railway Divison.
Main Ranipur ditto ditto
Banda ditto ditto

With reference the Notification, the following postings of Engineer s e made :—

To the Farukhabad Local Railway Division.

Mr E L Hunt, Mr G H I ist, Mr G V Martyn, Mr. H M S Talbot.

To the Mau Ranipur Local Railway Division.

Major H B Faber, R E, Mr O P O'Rafferty, Mr R W Roberts, Lieut R Jennings, R E, Mr. E Baker.

To the Banda Local Railway Division.

Mr J M Luff, Mr A S Gerrard, Mr J E N Boydell, Mr T H Wright, Mr N A R Chambers.

PUNJAB GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

(*Punjab Government Gazette*, January, 3.)

Mr. F. C. Channing, Settlement Officer, is appointed Settlement Secretary to the Financial Commissioner, Punjab.

Mr W R H Merk, Assistant Commissioner, from the Jhelum to the Peshawar district.

Lieut-Co lonel E A C Lampert, Cantonment Magistrate, is, on return from furlough to Sirsa, posted to Peshawar, and invested with the powers of Magistrate of the 1st Class.

Mr W M Young, Deputy Commissioner, to the Amritsar District.

Mr J W Gardiner to be Judicial Assistant of Amritsar.

Mr W P Woodward to revert to his substantive appointment as Judge, Small Cause Court, Amritsar.

Surgeon-Major H W Bellew, C S I, Officiating Sanitary Commissioner, Punjab, is confirmed in his appointment, vice Surgeon-Major A C C DeRenzy, promoted to Deputy Surgeon-General.

CENTRAL PROVINCES' ORDERS.

(*Central Provinces' Gazette*, January 5,)

Mr. Williams is posted to Harda, in the Hoshangabad District: Nagpur, 21st December 1877. Mr J H Gordon, 4th Class Inspector, is granted one month's privilege leave, from the 26th instant.

Mr. G Price, Inspector, 1st Class, is granted three months privilege leave, from the 12th January 1878.

Mr J Hurst, Officiating District Superintendent of Police, Bilaspur, who reverts to his substantive appointment of Inspector, 1st Class, is posted to the Nagpur District.

Mr P Greany, Inspector, having returned from Famine duty, Madras, is posted to the Sirsar District.

POSTAL NOTICES.

CHINA MAILS.

China Mail Steamers will leave Bom as follows :—
Tuesday ..... Jan. 8

MAURITIUS AND REUNION.

Monday ..... Dec. 17

The dates of departure from Bombay of the Supplemental Mail for Mauritius and Reunion are in concordance with the Time Table of the Messageries Maritime Company; but as the French Mail Steamers occasionally leave Aden for the Mauritius before the arrival of the Bombay Overland Mail Steamers, the Indian Postal Department will not be responsible for any delay which the correspondence forwarded by that opportunity may sustain at Aden.

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SPECIAL TELEGRAMS FOR THE BOMBAY GAZETTE.

TEMPORARY LEAVE OF COLONEL BURNE.

CALCUTTA, JAN. 7.

Colonel Burne, Private Secretary to H. E. the Viceroy, goes home by next Bombay Steamer on urgent private affairs. Mr. Stuart Bayley will probably carry on the duties till Colonel Colley returns from leave.

DEATH OF DR. ELLIOTT FROM CHOLERA.

Doctor Elliott, one of the leading practitioners of Calcutta, and Principal of the General Hospital, died from cholera at noon to-day, after nine hours' illness.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

(By Red Sea Cable.)

ILLNESS OF THE KING OF ITALY.

LONDON, JAN. 7.

Advices from Italy state that King Victor Emmanuel is very ill and is in a state of high fever.

RUSSIA AND PEACE PROPOSALS.

The British Ambassador at Constantinople has informed the Grand Vizier that Russia refuses to entertain proposals for peace until the Russian and Turkish Commanders-in-Chief shall have concluded an armistice.

THE WAR IN BULGARIA.

Thirty eight battalions of Turkish troops have been despatched from the fortresses of the Quadrilateral to reinforce the garrison at Adrianople.

TURKS ABANDONED THE SCHIPKA PASS.

LONDON, JAN 7.

Despatches have been received from newspaper special correspondents which announce that the Turks have abandoned their positions in the Schipka Pass in consequence of the intensely cold weather, and that the Russian General Radetsky has advanced with his force through the Pass as far as Kesanlik at the Roumelian end, where he will winter.

LONDON, 5. JAN.

The Liverpool Cotton Market closed steady.
The London Cotton Market has been quiet.

Fair Dhollera	5 5/16d.
Exchange on India, 60 days' sight..	1.8⅝
4 per cent. Rupee Paper	81¼
½ per cent. do.	81½
½ per cent. do.	89½
3 per cent. Consols for Account ...	94⅜
5 per cent. French Rentes, 1872....	108½
Bar Silver.....	53½

Departures.—On 27th December Alethea, Lufra, Renegor, Vespasian, Helena, Nereid, Woodburg, and Arabia; on 5th inst. Albuia and Tyrian.

We hear from Hyderabad that the day fixed for opening the tenders for the Berar surplus for the season 1878 has been postponed from Tuesday, the 15th, to Monday, the 21st January, as the last day of the Mohurram falls on the former day.

Dr. John Shortt, the well-known authority on snakes in Madras, retires from the service at the end of this month.

Mr. Buckle, Deputy Commissioner of Tounghoo, has received some severe injuries in consequence of a fall from his pony, and is expected to go on furlough for two years.

Among the passengers by yesterday's outgoing mail steamer was Mr. Macpherson, of the Bombay Bar, who has been suddenly called home on urgent private affairs, and will be away for two months.

Dr. Arnold Smith, Madras Medical Service, whose leave to Europe expires next week, has determined to retire, and has obtained the "sick" annuity from the Medical Fund.

Doctor Birdwood succeeds Mr. Clements Markham as Assistant Secretary at the India Office, London.

A Mussoorie correspondent says that Lord Lytton has just sent up there a very handsome silver claret jug to be shot for next season by the local volunteer corps. On his recent visit to Mussoorie the corps furnished a guard of honour at the reception and departure of his Excellency. The same writer mentions that several boarding-houses are to be started next season. Although the taxation in prospect at Simla, the Mussoorie landlords and ladies anticipate a large influx of visitors at the latter sanitarium.

The Championship and Gold Medal of the N. I. R. A. for this year have been won by Captain C. S. Bailey, 11th Regiment, Adjutant, 1st Punjab Rifle Volunteer Corps, with the magnificent score of 765, averaging 4·396 per shot. This is the second best score ever made for the championship, that of last year being 747, averaging 4·281. Captain Bailey shot at Amritsar, and used a breech-loading Metford rifle throughout all the matches. The shooting generally this year is said to be far above the average, the Martini-Henry rifle bringing many soldiers well up in the prize lists.

"We confess," says the *Madras Mail*, "we do not readily see the utility of the new Order for females. The natives of India have no desire to drop the *purdah* that conceals their women folk. The majority of the Native Princes are polygamous, and in the Zenana may be caused many heartburnings in making invidious distinctions among their wives. Such personages as the Begum of Bhopal and the Princess of Tanjore are marked out as suitable recipients of the Order, but the latter lady, being *gosha*, would have no opportunity of making a public display of her decoration. In the case of Princesses who are the spouses of Maharajahs or other Princes, the Government will have a delicate task to perform; and when it is performed, it will not, we apprehend, give any extraordinary pleasure to either lord or consort. The distribution of the Order involves an intrusion upon the privacy of native life, which is liable to be misunderstood in the zenana. As an Order must be for the most part, distributed in ignorance of the personnel, merits of the recipients, is calculated to cheapen the emblems of chivalry in public estimation."

It was formerly the rule that a copy of every book printed in India was transmitted to the Secretary of State for the India Office Library, but as this resulted in the collection of an enormous mass of books, few of which were of value, it has been decided that a catalogue of all books printed in India will be sent to the Librarian at the India Office, who will select such books as may be valuable to be sent him from this country.

The Lahore paper records two unfortunate accidents, both resulting fatally. Mr. Officers, an employé of the S. P. and D. Railway, and son of Lieutenant Officers of Mooltan, went out to Rajwind shooting on the last day of the year, and in passing through the wire fencing of the railway, dragged his gun after him by the muzzle, when the hammer caught, and the gun went off, the whole charge passing through his heart. He received a Volunteer funeral on the evening of the 31st at Lahore. The other case was that of Mr. Patrick McDermott, of the Stores Office of the P. N. S. Railway. While driving home on New Year's day, his horse being somewhat skittish, ran the dogcart on to the gate post of the compound. The wheel came off and Mr. McDermott was thrown out, the cart turning over upon him and injuring his skull. He did not recover consciousness, and died within eighteen hours. His wife and sister, who were with him, were also thrown out and severely bruised.

The *Statesman*—Look at that State Banquet the other night, for an illustration of the intensely bureaucratic conception it expresses, of what is the "State" nowadays. Not only the Members of Council and their Secretaries, who, having decorated each other all round, and several times over in most cases, really believe themselves to be "the State," and do the Viceroy the honour of sitting down at table with His Excellency, *as* the State. Not even the Judges would have been invited to a seat there, but that they could not well be left out; and of the fifty gentlemen present, and in a vast capital like Calcutta not one single member of the unofficial world was a guest. Not a single Foreign Consul, or Minister of any kind; not a clergyman, not a merchant, not a banker, not a planter, not a lawyer, not a medical man, not a member of the University, nor of the fourth estate, nor a member of the Great Uncovenanted Service;—and but just two officers of the whole active Army. Ten Secretaries, or officiating, or additional Secretaries, meanwhile are all there; the only conception of the "State" known in India, being the unwholesome one of a ministerial assembly, to which the Judges are invited only because it would create a scandal to exclude them. Is this really, we ask, wholesome? Does the State really mean only the Cabinet? How can there be anything but a gulf between public sympathy and a body of pure Secretarial officials, who have persuaded themselves that they are—the State? And then observe, that any one of these gentlemen is ready at a moment's notice to objurgate the native youth in our colleges or at the University, to shew more manliness of character than to seek official employ. What youth, they are asked, with any manliness in him, will care to enter a race for the Secretaryships or Councilship. No, my lads; it is an unworthy, unmanly thing, to look for official employ. Rather be carpenters, or bootmakers, or bricklayers, or tailors, or, best of all cultivators of the soil. Does not every one see, that it is the unhealthy prominence we give to purely official life, under our intensely bureaucratic administration of affairs, that attracts the entire youth of the country to official service. The "official" is everything in India; the outsider nothing. And instead of the Government wisely showing all the respect it can for the great outside, self-reliant, non-official world, that really forms the *State*, it shews by its every act that it does not believe it to be the State at all, but merely a broad and happy basis, which it condescends itself to grace with an ornamented pinnacle. Nothing could be more unwholesome for every class of the community whatever. A false local aristocracy is set up, upon the mere ground of "office," in other words of the "clerkships" we so earnestly advise Native, Eurasian, and English youth alike to eschew with manly contempt. Would it not have been a good deal wiser, when a *State* banquet is given in India, for the Government to shew that its conception of the State is really somewhat broader than the expression we are now constantly giving to it?

The *Madras Mail*—In making appointments to the grade of Collector in the Civil Service, the seniority system should be tempered by selection. We would go even further, and advocate the enforced retirement on a suitable pension of those who, when their turn for promotion to Collector comes, the Government may not consider it advisable to promote. A Civilian's qualifications should be understood by Government by the time he has done fifteen or twenty years' service; and unpleasant as the duty of removing an officer must be, it should not be shirked by a strong Government which desires to be well served. Wholesale weeding would do more harm than good, but there will always be one or two cases about which there can be no doubt, and action in such cases, with a view to the "survival of the fittest," would improve the tone of the service, and be of great benefit to the country. In the Army officers who are incompetent are liable to be told that "Her Majesty has no further need of your services," and out they go into the cold without the benefit of Court Martial. In private life the employers of labour reserve the right to relieve themselves of the incubus of servants who are incorrigibly inefficient. There is no reason why India should be compelled to maintain in affluence Civil Servants who are unfit for official functions. It would, in the long run, pay Government well to give liberal bonuses by way of compensation to their "bad bargains" when driving them away. It is conceivable that it would be advantageous to give a cracked Collector or imbecile Judge half a lakh of rupees to take himself off by the first steamer. And the expulsion would both accelerate the promotion of more worthy members of the Service, and be obliging to those who are going "off the line" in the compact between the Government and its "Covenanted" Civil Service should be modified in favour of the public. The Government should make continuance in Her Majesty's Civil Service dependent upon sustained efficiency. There should be no covenanting to keep inoffensive noodles in the service, and no obligation to promote them by virtue of mere seniority. The Civilians who would have to betake themselves to "pastures new" would become bores of the first water about their wrongs in Cheltenham, Bayswater, and Brighton; but nobody would heed them. Their retirement would not but raise the average of efficiency in the Service, and on the extent of that efficiency the welfare of millions of people, and the solvency of the public exchequer, must to a great extent hinge.

A lady writing from London to the *Indian Daily News*, says:—"The ladies' book of the month is decidedly Mrs. H. R. Haweis' 'Art of Beauty,' which every woman should read and profit by. Although, perhaps, a little extravagant in her ideas in some things, —such as the adoption of sandals instead of shoes and boots, and also of pearl powder, hair powder, and patches, to cover deformities and blemishes—I think on the main she is most sensible and wise; and in considering a study of the art of dress a duty, and correctly deemed an art, she only puts it on its right footing. Of course, we all know it is possible to have, and do, too much of a good thing, and it is only silly women who carry the love of dress to extremes; but unfortunately, the majority of my sex seem to be ashamed of showing either anxiety or care in the matter. This last point of view Mrs. Haweis strenuously combats, and thinks every woman ought to study to find out the style of apparel and hair-dressing which suits her individuality, and if necessary, with a view to this, to allow any ideas of fashion to persuade her to change her style. 'Every woman should look like a picture' is, in fact, the theme of our clever authoress's sermon."

The *Spectator*—The Government of Prussia has taken a remarkable step backwards in the work of fiscal reform. Hitherto all municipal taxes in the kingdom have been levied through rates on rental and other direct imposts, but they have risen so high as to produce popular discontent. The total assessment in the old provinces has increased from £2,250,000 in 1857 to £5,800,000 in 1876, an increase of nearly 300 per cent. in twenty years. The Government, therefore, proposes to restore to the municipalities the right of levying indirect taxes,—that is, in other words, of establishing octroi duties. The oddest part of the proposal is, that Government and Parliament are both aware that it is a retrograde step, and that it is defended only as a concession to popular ignorance and dislike of taxation. The injury done to trade will not be great, as Prussian officials are honest, but it is disagreeable to see everywhere these conscious concessions made by knowledge to ignorance. Why cultivate *geist*, if *geist* in power is not to rule?

The French have come to the front with a new industry, which consists in the manufacture of a cloth from feathers. It is said to be lighter and warmer than wool, dyes readily, and is waterproof. The feathers of any kind of bird can be used. The new cloth is to be employed for ladies' wear, instead of felt.

INDIAN NEWS-LETTER.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

MATHERAN, JANUARY 5.

No one who has only visited Matheran during the hot weather can be said to have even tasted its charms. The breathless heat and choking dust of the fashionable season prevent visitors from realising how delightful the place is at its best. At Christmas it undoubtedly the time when this most charming of hill stations is to be seen to advantage. The beneficial effects of the monsoon are still visible in the glossy green of the foliage and in the grass-covered parts not yet beaten into red-hot dust. It seems a pity that inexorable fashion should have fixed on the two most unpleasant months in the period during which its beauties may be absent from Bombay. The argument, of course, is that the hill-stations, during the May and October seasons, are convenient "frying-pans" for those who wish to avoid immediate contact with "the fire;" but this is decidedly unfair to the stations themselves, and I am beginning to think that it is unfair to the visitors too, and that the best way to derive benefit from these charming resorts is to visit them during the cold weather, when, in a really invigorating climate, the Anglo-Indian constitution may pull itself together to face the fiery trials which await it. I am certain that none who have visited Matheran this Christmas have had cause to complain of the weather. For about a week before the festive occasion, the temperature was rather muggy during the day, though pleasantly cool at night; but ever since we have had it cold enough to suit anyone. Nor can we complain that the place has been wholly deserted. The number of eight European families moved up till the end of December, and during the Christmas week we had quite an influx of visitors. Several old Matheranites put in an appearance, and disputed the position with the crowds of Parsees in English clothes who had taken possession of all the available tats and who rode about, from early morning till late at night, in one long procession. Speaking of tats, I may mention that these noble animals seem to have become thoroughly demoralized since first I had the honour of making their acquaintance. It seems impossible for two of them to meet without greeting each other with a broadside of kicks. Within two days I witnessed three adventures, which only the exceptional coolness and self-possession of the riders prevented from becoming serious accidents. The chief actor in each case was the handsomest pony on the hill, a fine dark bay fellow, but the very devil when his temper is up, which seems to be pretty nearly always. I would take my oath that his owner is entirely unprejudiced in his favour when I say that he is the most spiteful, treacherous, and utterly inexperienced of his race. Against this vicious beauty, who will certainly make mischief yet. His tactics are to wait till he comes fairly alongside another pony, wheel round stern foremost, and unceremoniously hustle his antagonist off the path. All the other ponies know and dread him; and I need scarcely say that his presence in the midst of a crowd of struggling, plunging tats is not conducive to their equanimity or the comfort of their riders. In each of the three cases I refer to, he cleared the path by pushing the others into the jungle on either side; and had the contest occurred on the edge of a precipice, the result would have been something more than unpleasant. If one may judge by the reckless performances of many Matheran riders, there seems to be an impression abroad that one who knows nothing about the management of horses may trust himself on any mountain tat whatever; hence the need of the present warning.

Neither the demoralization of the tats nor the recklessness of inexperienced riders, however, has been the chief nuisance of the present season. A practice which would not be tolerated during the summer months has been introduced by a few snobs, male and female, who seem determined to make the place as uncomfortable for pedestrians as they possibly can. If these persons do not know that etiquette and decency alike demand that a rider shall not drive ladies off a path by tearing past them at full gallop, it would be well if a notification at the Superintendent's Office were to inform them of the fact. *Verbum sap.*

Intending visitors will be interested in a proposal, which, I understand, the Superintendent is now considering—to lower the present exorbitant charge for tonjons and to raise that for tats. The few visitors who are here just now, however, do not need to trouble themselves about prices. The tattoo-wallahs, from whom a week ago ponies were not to be had for love or money, are now only too anxious to obtain custom; and even the impracticable tonjon-bearers are willing to accept their lawful fare.

The new Superintendent, Dr. McConaghy, is proving himself thoroughly qualified for his appointment, and seems to be taking a real interest in the improvement of the place. The finger-posts, strange to say, are all pointing in the right direction, and look as if the paint had been recently renewed. A good many ugly cooly-paths have been closed; and the principal roads have a fresh, clean look. During past years the excuse for doing nothing has been the want of money; and it is rather astonishing to find so large an amount as Rs. 15,000 to the credit of Matheran with the Accountant General. It is to be hoped that some way of spending the money to advantage will suggest itself before it is absorbed by the general needs of Government. I understand that a project for substituting hydraulic machinery for *bheestie* labour at one or more of the springs has been discussed, and that inquiries are now being made with a view to test its feasibility. Dr. McConaghy is fortunate in having obtained, as his first civil appointment, the post of Superintendent of Matheran, and he and his amiable lady are invaluable additions to the social attractions of the station.

The all-absorbing topic of conversation in local circles is, of course, the proposed selection of Matheran instead of Mahableshwur as the military head-quarters during the coming season. The way in which this is likely to affect prices may be gathered from the fact that a house which lets for Rs. 300 has been put down at Rs. 800; and the proprietors of other bungalows announce their intention of following so wise an example. Matheran will be forbidden ground to ordinary mortals next season; and your Bandgunny correspondent may yet see his dearest wish realised.

The first-class Hospital Assistant here is a very useful and high-minded officer, and even his faults lean to virtue's side. Yet it must be admitted that his professional enthusiasm sometimes assumes a form which would be annoying if it were not so intensely amusing. An incident occurred the other day which will illustrate what I mean. A gentleman called at the dispensary to obtain a plaster. He was asked what it was for, how it was to be used, where it was to be placed, and what specific effect was expected to result from its application; and it was only after these questions had been regularly put and gravely answered, that the mortifying announcement was made that the plaster was not to be had. It seems that professional catechizing is, with this Socratic apothecary, an invariable preliminary to the supply of medicine; and I can only hope that he may continue to meet with customers like the young lady of last season, who, having been ordered him a prescription for an aperient pill for a little boy, and having got safely but blushingly through the introductory questions, cut short a conversation which was becoming somewhat embarrassing by remarking—"I suppose it is intended to make him well!"

MR. JAVERILAL UMIASHUNKER CALLED TO ANSWER CERTAIN CHARGES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "BOMBAY GAZETTE."

SIR,—As the *Times of India* has not yet published my letter sent on the 27th ultimo, in reply to one of Mr. Javerilal Umiashunker Yajnik, which appeared in that paper on the 24th ult., and as the letter contained unfounded attacks upon me, and as the non-publication of my letter in reply by the *Times of India* will lead the public to believe that the attacks thus made on me are well founded, I have to request you will kindly publish my letter sent to you on the 27th ultimo, and which is a copy of the one sent by me to the *Times of India* on the same day, or such portions of it as you may think fit.

HURRYLALL MOHUNLALL.

Bombay, 3rd January.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "TIMES OF INDIA."

SIR,—I am sorry to see that you have not yet published my letter sent to you on the 27th of last month in answer to the one of Mr. Javerilal Umiashunker Yajnik published in your paper of the 24th ultimo, containing unfounded attacks upon me.

I have to remark that as you published Mr. Javerilal's letter, you ought, in justice, to publish mine.—Yours truly,

HURRYLALL MOHUNLALL.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "BOMBAY GAZETTE."

SIR,—I am sorry I was not in Bombay on the day the letter of Mr. Javerilal Umiashunker Yajnik, the secretary of the Neriad Spinning and Weaving Co., Limited, was published in the *Times of India*, I believe with a view to console himself. As your reporter truly remarks that a few lines would have been sufficient to correct the so-called wrong figures (which have, I have no doubt, accidentally appeared in your report of the meeting), but apparently Mr. Javerilal was misled to make them a peg upon which to fasten a long tirade against my criticisms of his acts. I am only sorry he has chosen the public papers in preference to the meeting of shareholders for giving expression to his private opinions, and has thus compelled me to point out to the public the incorrectness of his own statements about which he has made such a fuss.

As regards the incorrectness of the figures to which Mr. Javerilal has drawn your attention, I can only say that it may be an unintentional mistake in the notes of your reporter.

As to the building of the well and tanks I have authority for saying that, while digging the well, water was found at 35 feet below the surface of the earth, and that springs were found at 55 feet below the surface. After going down 60 feet, attempts were made to ascertain whether sufficient quantity of water could be obtained from the springs in the well, and it was found that the water from the springs flowed so rapidly that no sooner was the water pumped out than it was filled up again, and the quantity of water was found to be more than sufficient, even in the hot season for the purposes of the mills. After this experiment the Company's engineer, the contractors and the factory were of opinion that it would be a waste of money to dig the well deeper. Mr. Javerilal, however, either presuming to know more of engineering and the capacities of that well by having in his own commission, prevailed upon the contractors, engineer, and the maistry to dig the well still deeper, and this he did without informing the directors, and the well was consequently dug to the depth of 75 feet, and Mr. Javerilal wished to carry it still further, but the contractors declined to do so, as it was in their opinion dangerous for their work people to work at such depth with 45 feet of water in the well. The real cost of the well is not, as Mr. Javerilal wishes the public to believe, Rs. 9,943-6, but only Rs. 6,966-7, and Rs. 21,783-8, but more than Rs. 10,210-13 and with the tanks Rs. 22,393-13 had been spent, as will appear from the engineer's certificate, dated 13th November 1876, and I am informed that since then additional works have been done on the well and the tanks, the cost of which can be ascertained from the last certificate of the Engineer; and the whole cost, I am convinced, has not fallen short of Rs. 25,000, a figure higher than the one I mentioned at the meeting. It is not fair that Mr. Javerilal should compare the costs of this Company's well and tanks with those of the several mills in Bombay, where the costs of materials and labour are dearer than at Neriad. He ought to compare them with the well and tanks of the mills at Ahmedabad, only 29 miles from Neriad, and he will be surprised to find that they have cost not even half as much.

As to the cost of the gates, will Mr. Javerilal agree to pay to the Company such amount as may be found on examination of the accounts to have been expended in excess of of the amount he states in his letter? The northern gate, with its solid wood doors 15 feet wide, and the two wings, each of which consist of a verandah and a shop on either side, has cost the Company over a thousand rupees. I do not know what necessity there was for putting up such a lofty and costly gate on the north side, especially when a gate which cost only Rs. 207, was put on the western side, and was found to answer the purposes of the mill. I would mention that over and above the gate, a sum of about Rs. 100, would have answered just as well, since all the companies compound is fenced with cactus. This extraordinary expenditure for a small mill, which is largely indebted, only indicates that Mr. Javerilal managed the whole affair in such a way as to secure to himself the largest amount of commission on the 1st cost regardless of the interests of the shareholders.

As regards the "story about the piece of flannel," for which Mr. Javerilal says he has satisfactory explanation at the meeting, I have sufficient evidence to show that a piece belonging to the Company was given to a personal attendant of the late Rao of Cutch when his Highness stayed on his return journey at, Neriad in 1875. The value of this piece had been entered in the accounts April last, and I shall be glad to be informed if it has been so since, and also the reason why it was not accounted for so long.

A simple instance of the utter mismanagement of the Company under the present secretary may be taken from the fact that about a month ago when a certain loan fell due, the secretaries were unable to make arrangements for meeting it on due date, and the best of it is this, that they never informed the directors of the fact.

Moreover, this loan, together with some others, was disapproved by the Board at the time it was contracted, and also the sales of yarn made by them. These are facts which may be traced from the minutes of the Board of Directors.

I may further state that, when at the shareholders meeting, I remarked "that, according to the Secretary's own showing, there is a deficiency of about 20,000 lbs of cotton to be accounted for between the production of yarn and the cotton consumed after taking into account the wastage as stated by the Secretary to be at about 17 per cent," but the secretary did not give any explanation regarding it. If Mr. Javerilal wishes anybody to teach him, it is his duty. I cannot help remarking that he has shown a wanton dereliction of his duty in regard to this Company, and I do not know on what principle of truthfulness and honesty he has given away not only the piece of flannel above alluded to, but has actually built a pagoda without the knowl-dge and sanction of the directors, a large number of the empty boxes of machinery belonging to the Company in making a ceiling of his house at Neriad, and also constructing the ceiling and cornice to the Company in respect thereof was given at a nominal price without mentioning the name of the person to whom the same were sold.

These are but few, but not the least, insignificant item of thousands of top-rollers no where accounted for. A sufficient number was provided for by the machinists who supplied machinery, the cases containing the same having reached their destination; but its contents, though received by the Superintendent (Mr. Javerilal) holding a responsible appointment, were not accounted for, when deficiency was found out and new ones had to be made in Bombay. The books of stores kept by the Superintendent while the cases were open for delivery were so carelessly and improperly and wretched and niggardly, that a correct account of any item of stores can hardly be found in these books.

When Mr. Javerilal presumes so much about the knowledge of his own duties, the public and the shareholders of the Company have already seen in how important alterations were made by him in the memorandum of the Company after it was signed by the subscribers without their knowledge and consent, and it will be not an easy matter for him to clear himself when several of the up-country shareholders who have not yet signed the duplicate of the memo and articles of the Company registered by him, and the latter of which were never submitted by him to the shareholders for their approval, call upon him to explain the much more important alterations he has made therein than in the copy sent for their signature for which Anandjee Visram fought so successfully in the High Court and exonerated himself from his liability for calls.

With these facts I leave the public and the shareholders to judge how the affairs of this unfortunate Neriad mill are at present managed.—Yours, &c.,

HURRYLALL MOHUNLALL.

Bombay, Dec. 26.

P.S.—Though Mr. Martin Wood was present at the shareholders' meeting, it is very strange that he, as partner with Mr. Javerilal in the management of the Neriad Mill, was silent throughout the proceedings. H. M.

BOMBAY.

The following is the programme of music to be played by the band H. M.'s Marine Battalion at the Apollo Bander this evening:—

March.....	.....	
Overture	Military.....	Ernburg.
Quadrille	Kit and Miss	Herve.
Selection	Madam Angot.....	Lecocq.
Waltzes ?.....	Manolo	Waldeteufel.
Galop	Now here, now there.....	Faust.

Fire.—A fire broke out at 2 o'clock on Sunday morning in the room of a house in the native town. On an alarm being raised, the neighbours and others speedily extinguished the fire. The loss was very slight.

Robbing a child of its ornaments.—The wife of one Narayen Goverdun, residing at Myjunwaddy, while passing in a procession on Sunday last with her child in her arms, some person removed a gold bangle, valued at Rs. 75, from the person of the child.

Theft at the Sailors' Home.—A European, named George McVyne, was yesterday convicted by Mr. Nana Morojee of stealing sundry articles of wearing apparel and cash belonging to five inmates of the Sailors' Home, and was sentenced to a term of six months' hard labour in the House of Correction.

Causing Grievous Hurt.—John Bartlett, a seaman of H. M.'s ship Undaunted, was yesterday charged before the Hon. Mr. Dosabhoy Framjee with causing grievous hurt to Mr. Inspector Gough, of the Bombay Police, on the 5th instant. The prosecutor being confined at the European General Hospital from the effects of the injuries he had sustained, the case was postponed for hearing to the 14th instant, and the prisoner remanded to jail.

Criminal breach of trust.—At the Fort Police Court yesterday, a Madrassee merchant, named Gopalsett Arnobjan Chetty, appeared before Mr. Nana Morojee and obtained a warrant against a Hindoo, named Oodhowjee, charging him with criminal breach of trust in respect of a sum of Rs. 15,093-4-9, recovered by accused as agent for the sale of silver and gold bars belonging to complainant. The accused was arrested during the course of the day and placed before His Worship, charged with the above offence. The prisoner being identified, was remanded to jail, and the case adjourned for further hearing.

Run over by a Railway Train.—A Coroner's inquest was held on Sunday at the Mahim Railway Station, on view of the body of a Hindoo man, name unknown, who was found lying on the rails at the station near the up line on the previous evening. His skull was smashed and the lower limbs also, the left arm was taken off at the shoulder and the right hand was crushed. It was supposed that deceased was run over by a goods train that passed through the station on the up line just previous to that at which deceased was discovered. He was apparently a mendicant, and had endeavoured to cross the rails after having got through the wire fencing, when he met with the accident. The verdict of the jury was, "that the death of the deceased was caused by his having been accidentally run over by a railway train."

Attempt to rob at a Police Station.—On Sunday, about midnight, a Goanese, named John Peter, attempted to commit a burglary at the Dhobie Talao Police Station by climbing up the scaffolding erected for the repairs of the building, and entering through a window in the room occupied by Mr. Constable Atkinson and his family. Mrs. Atkinson, the only person then in these quarters, Mr. Atkinson being out on duty, raised an alarm, on which Mr. Inspector McDermott, who had just returned from duty, on hearing the alarm went in search of the burglar, first entering the house to watch the burglar on the outside. The burglar, however, retired through the same window at which he had entered, and down the scaffolding; he then, in endeavouring to jump over a wall into the adjoining gully, fell and fractured his right leg a little above the ankle, receiving injuries also to his back. He was then captured and removed to the Goculdass Tejpal Hospital.

Arrival of the Archbishop of Goa.—His Grace the Archbishop of Goa arrived here yesterday morning by the B. I. S. N. Company's steamer Goa accompanied by his Secretary, Father Macedo, and two other priests. Many of the clergy of both jurisdictions and a large number of the Portuguese community received His Grace at the Apollo Bander, and after the usual salutations His Grace drove to Bishop Mesrin's residence in the Fort. As the Archbishop had previously intimated that he desired no public reception, no demonstration attended his landing.

The traffic on the B. B. and C. I. Railway.—The increase in goods traffic on the B. B. & C. I. Railway for the week ending 29th December 1877 was 21,042 maunds and in money Rs. 19,777. The quantities carried and the earnings compared with 1876 are as follows:—

Description.	Week ending 29th Dec. 1877.	Week ending 31st. Dec. 1876.	Increase.	Decrease.
COTTON—				
Weight.....	Mds 29,319	Mds 17,200	Mds 11,119	...
Amount.....	Rs. 14,356	Rs. 10,024	Rs. 4,281	...
GRAIN—				
Weight	Mds 1,29,628	Mds 85,563	Mds 44,063	...
Amount.....	Rs. 41,952	Rs. 24,087	Rs. 17,865	...
JAGREE—				
Weight.....	Mds 13,194	Mds 10,612	Mds 2,582	...
Amount.....	Rs. 3,693	Rs. 4,678	...	Rs. 985
OPIUM—				
Weight.....	Mds 644	Mds 738	...	Mds 93
Amount.....	Rs. 1,63	Rs. 1,866	...	Rs. 236
P. GOODS AND TWIST—				
Weight.....	Mds 5,379	Mds 5,385	...	Mds 6
Amount.....	Rs. 5,211	Rs. 5,440	...	Rs. 229
SALT—				
Weight.....	Mds 13,943	Mds 28,431	...	Mds 14,488
Amount.....	Rs. 3,745	Rs. 4,967	...	Rs. 1,222
SEEDS—				
Weight	Mds 15,855	Mds 29,298	...	Mds 13,443
Amount.....	Rs. 5,981	Rs. 7,767	...	Rs. 1,786
SUGAR—				
Weight.....	Mds 4,364	Mds 5,973	...	Mds 1,609
Amount.....	Rs. 2,375	Rs. 3,026	...	Rs. 651
GENERAL GOODS—				
Weight.....	Mds 1,22,390	Mds 1,29,473	...	Rs. 7,083
Amount.....	Rs. 33,849	Rs. 31,109	Rs. 2,740	...
TOTAL—				
Weight.....	Mds 3,27,717	Mds 3,06,675	Mds 21,042	...
Amount	Rs. 1,12,741	Rs. 92,964	Rs. 19,777	...

The traffic on the G. I. P. Railway.—The increase in goods traffic on the G. I. P. Railway for the nine days ending 31st December 1877 was 1,26,955 maunds and in money Rs. 79,202. The quantities carried and the earnings compare with 1877 as follows:—

Description.	9 days ending 31st Dec. 1877.	Week ending 1st. Jan. 1876.	Increase.	Decrease.
COTTON—				
Weight	Mds 56,762	Mds 44,544	Mds 12,218	...
Amount	Rs 74,052	Rs. 56,719	Rs. 17,333	...
GRAIN AND SEEDS—				
Weight	Mds 3,69,282	Mds 4,25,237	M. 38,240	...
Amount	Rs. 2,13,376	Rs. 2,55,628	...	...
WHEAT—				
Weight	Mds 94,195	...	...	...
Amount.....	Rs. 59,254	...	Rs. 10,002	...
SALT—				
Weight	Mds 28,867	Mds 69,526	...	M. 40,659
Amount.....	Rs. 13,873	Rs. 36,502	...	Rs. 22,629
OPIUM—				
Weight	Mds 3,050	Mds 691	Mds 2,359	...
Amount.....	Rs. 10,289	Rs. 2,868	Rs. 7,421	...
P. GOODS AND TWIST—				
Weight	Mds 22,295	Mds. 18,223	Mds 4,072	...
Amount.....	Rs. 32,218	Rs. 24,636	Rs. 7,582	...
GENERAL GOODS—				
Weight.....	Mds 2,64,720	Mds 1,53,995	Mds 1,10,725	...
Amount	Rs. 1,79,672	Rs. 1,11,179	Rs. 59,493	...
TOTAL—				
Weight	Mds 8,39,171	Mds 7,12,216	M. 1,26,955	...
Amount	Rs. 5,66,731	Rs. 4,87,582	Rs. 79,202	...

* Wheat was included last year with Grain and Seed.

School Exhibition at Salvagao, Lower Mahim.—A correspondent has sent us the following account of the exhibition of the Mahim schools:—

"The annual exhibition of the two schools at Salvagao, Lower Mahim, was held on last Sunday in the compound of the church. The place was very tastefully decorated with flags and flowers woven between the fronds of the cocoanut palm leaves. The vast amount of accommodation provided for visitors was overflowing-ly filled by the parishioners and others who came from Bombay, Bandora, and elsewhere. The dais was occupied by His Lordship Bishop Meurin, supported on both sides by his ecclesiastical staff, so to speak, among whom were Father Pagani, Rev. Willy, Father da Voa, and others. At one end of the dais sat the Rev. Braz Fernandez, the head and front of the whole system of education in Salvagao, the fruits of which, as far as it has gone, the large assembly present were to appraise. He bewailed the absence of any means of educating the swarms of children who filled the houses in his parishioners, and the idea eventually fixed itself on his mind so strongly that he made a donation of Rs. 10,000 out of his pocket to establish a girls' school; he then talked over the late Amador Viegas, into giving a property at Mahim as endowment for a scholarship which goes by the name of the Maria and Christina Viegas' scholarship, and so infused his spirit into the late Dr. Antone DeSouza that he devised a splendid property of his at Mahim into a trust for a boys' school, which is flourishing, and which found worthy and practical expression in the great results seen at this exhibition. There are an average of 60 pupils—girls' schools in the year, of which 21 are boarders. 51 pupils were presented at the last Government examination, and the Government grant came to Rs. 433. The scholarships were awarded to three young ladies, who may, perhaps, not care to see their names in print *as yet*, so I forbear. Let me here point out the advisability of the managing committee always, in the annual reports, describing the donors of the several scholarships. It is only just to them, and *pour encourages les autres*. In the report read at this exhibition all mention of Mr. Viegas' munificent donation is omitted, which is a pity, and undoubtedly an oversight. The girls acquitted themselves most creditably in their parts, and were charming in their singing and music. In the boys' school are 190 pupils, and they came off very satisfactorily at the recent Government examination. There are several small scholarships which assist in stimulating emulation. Of the prizes given were one of an unusually liberal character, and here again Padre Braz has an usual. He has, moreover, organised a band of musicians from among his parishioners and pupils of the school, who, under the careful instruction and guidance of their able bandmaster, discoursed eloquent music at intervals throughout the exhibition. An address by Father Braz Fernandez in Portuguese, followed by a telling speech by His Lordship the Bishop in English, delivered in the bland and courteous way of that eminent churchman, completed the exhibition, and the ecclesiastics and a favoured few were invited to Father Braz's house near by to a collation in accordance with the reputation of the Portuguese host."

According to a Reuter's telegram, London, Jan. 3rd "the Rt. Rev. Paul Goethals has been appointed by the Pope Apostolic Vicar of Calcutta in succession to Archbishop Steins." We believe this intelligence to be quite correct. The state of the bodily health of Archbishop Steins is such as to require his departure for India before the return of the hot season, without any prospect of his being able to venture out once more to these torrid regions, and we believe that, under these circumstances, His Grace has petitioned to be relieved of the high office he has held in Calcutta for the last eleven years nearly; and we rejoice to learn that a life so precious is thus to be preserved for labour in other climes. We find that the new Archbishop is in his 46th year, and at the time of his elevation was Rector of the large College of the Jesuits at Namur, Belgium.—*Bombay Catholic Examiner.*

We are sorry to learn that one of the "sisters" recently arrived from England has had a severe attack of fever in the same house in Poona in which the Bishop of Bombay suffered during the rains. The sanitation of the neighbourhood should be well looked into. Precious life and health must not be sacrificed without an effort to save them.—*Deccan Herald.*

High Prices in Poona.—We are sorry to notice that the prices of bajree and wheat have risen considerably in the Poona market. Some Bhattia merchants have come to Poona from outstations for the purpose of exporting grain from Poona to their own stations, and have thus caused a sudden rise in prices. Bajree, which was selling at 11 seers,

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Subjects are
Watering Through, Madonna Della Sedia, Contemplation on the Danube, New Year's Morning, Christmas Eve, Interrupted Duet, College by River Side, Egyptian Girl, Guardian Angels, Highland Cattle, Fisherman's Family, Bagatelle, English Coast, Monte Lenzo, Grape Gatherers, Red Riding Hood, Grecian Lady, Summer Morn ng and Evening, The Bride Frozen River, Ostend Harbour, Shakspear's Baby in Trouble, View in Switzerland, Sky Glasses, pl-in lithographic pictures, black ground pictures in maple frames, double and single photographic frames, about 45, very superior various veneer in gilt and maple frames, about 6,734 feet silver, maple, gilt moulding of differ ent sizes, assorted paper pictures, engravings, prints, coloured lith-graph, plain black ground head, and various chromos.
Property is on view.
S. SHRICRISHNAJEE & Co.
Bombay, 8th January 1878.

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TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, the 9th inst, at 2 p.m., Messrs. BENNETT & Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction, at their rooms, on account of the concerned,
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